

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania****Trend of Fatalities, 2000-2004**

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	31	34	26	35	37
	Alcohol-Related	10	10	11	16	13
	Single Vehicle	12	19	11	19	21
	Non-Junction	17	21	15	26	23
	Intersection	11	11	11	6	13
	Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0	0
	Speeding Involved	10	9	11	16	16
	Pedestrians	4	10	2	4	6
	Pedalcyclists	0	1	0	0	0
	Large Truck Involved	7	5	5	3	4
	Roadway Departure	12	14	12	27	27
	Passenger Car Occupants	18	15	16	25	19
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	7	7	5	1	6
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	0	1	1	1
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	25	22	22	27	26
	Motorcycle Riders	2	1	2	4	5

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2004**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2004	25	8	12	5

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2004**

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2004	5	3	2	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2004

	2004			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	37	13	11.36	51
Alcohol-Related	13	16	3.99	52
Single Vehicle	21	12	6.45	39
Non-Junction	23	16	7.06	56
Intersection	13	7	3.99	16
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0
Speeding Involved	16	16	4.91	51
Pedestrians	6	5	1.84	13
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0
Large Truck Involved	4	19	1.23	40
Roadway Departure	27	15	8.29	51
Passenger Car Occupants	19	13	5.84	46
Light Truck/Van Occupants	6	22	1.84	52
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	26	0.31	31
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	26	17	7.99	56
Motorcycle Riders	5	8	1.54	29

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.